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The response of December 29, 2004 fails to address the rejections of the elected claims made in the last Office Action of December 17, 2004. Further, in the response applicant refers to the elected group of invention to include claims 1-8, when only claims 1-2 are in Group I.

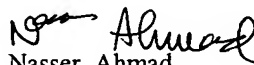
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